## INTENT TO MINE

Oconee County has applied to the S.C. Department of Health and Environmental Control for a permit to mine clay in South Carolina. A proposed reclamation plan has been submitted indicating the site will be restored to grassland and agricultural land after mining. The proposed mine is located in Oconee County approximately 0.25 miles southeast of Seneca, South Carolina. Specifically the site is west and adjacent to Mt. Nebo Church Road. The site is about 0.25 mile west of the junction of state secondary highways S-37-37 (Shiloh Road) and S-37-394 (Airport Road). Any comments or inquiries concerning this application should be received by the S.C. Department of Health and Environmental Control before 5:00 p.m. on April 24, 2006. Comments should be sent to the attention of Marianna DePratter, Division of Mining and Solid Waste Management, Bureau of Land and Waste Management, 2600 Bull Street, Columbia, South Carolina, 29201, phone (803) 896-4263. Any individuals with disabilities or special needs who want to review the file should contact the Department at least one week prior to the end of the comment period to discuss any special services required.